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MEMORANDUM FOR:

Mr. Blake

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I volunteered this morning to find out if we had provided or been requested to furnish any support material for Secretary Blumenthal. Utilizing the good offices of NIO Heymann, who checked with Foster Collins at Treasury and the DDI/OER, we have furnished no materials nor have we been asked to provide support. Both Secretary Blumenthal and FRB Chairman Arthur Burns will be attending the Finance Ministers meeting in Paris to negotiate a new IMF balance of payments formula to help financially pressed nations pay for imports. As you know, Chairman Burns has asked if we could provide intelligence on the anticipated position of foreign attendees (DDO Spot Report

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